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Dear Midwives,

Birth and Beyond is looking for a Midwife to join our team beginning May 1<sup>st</sup> or June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019 for a minimum of one year. This is for a full-time or part-time position, depending on the needs and preferences of the applicant. There will be a possibility of extending the position for the right candidate.

Birth and Beyond is a full-scope midwifery faculty practice located on UBC campus. The practice is currently home to two full-time and 3 part-time midwives who coordinate care in a rotating team model. Our client caseload is extremely diverse including families from a wide range of cultural and ethnic communities, and includes students, faculty, recent immigrants, and people with and without resources. Many of them have some connection to UBC, but we also provide care for families in the Greater Vancouver and Richmond communities.

Birth and Beyond is a teaching practice, consistently taking students from several health professions. All of the midwives hold academic or clinical faculty appointments. The successful candidate will enjoy being engaged in education and/or research, and would support the team in their academic responsibilities and pursuits. Our group practice is supportive of professional development, family time and self-care. We work together to support each other to achieve work/life balance and job satisfaction.

We are seeking a partner who is particularly committed to person-centred care, grounded in the best available evidence, client autonomy, and respect. We hold privileges at BC Women's and Richmond Hospital. We prioritize undisturbed births in all settings. Many of our clients choose home births, and are interested in working with complementary therapists. We hope that our new partner will share our values and philosophy to provide calm, compassionate care. Proficiency in Mandarin, Cantonese, Spanish, Portuguese, French, Hindi, Farsi or other languages a plus. Certifications or expertise with implicit bias, trauma informed care, acupuncture and/or care to diverse populations an asset.

Please contact Michelle to apply or if you have any questions. Please submit a resume and cover letter by March 5, 2019 to turnermichelle@yahoo.ca.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Michelle Turner, Quinn Metcalfe, Laura Wood, Courtney Broten and Saraswathi Vedam, the midwives of Birth & Beyond